

SENATE GENERAL WELFARE COMMITTEE AMENDMENT 1

Amendment No. 1 to SB0492

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Signature of Sponsor**

AMEND Senate Bill No. 492

House Bill No. 315*

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by deleting Section 1 of the printed bill in its entirety and by substituting instead the following new language:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 71-3-502(d)(7)(C), is amended by adding the following as a new item (iv):

(iv) Such rules shall prohibit a newly hired employee or existing employee who is full-time or part-time, or, as defined by the department, a substitute employee, of:

(a) A child care agency; or

(b) A contractor or other persons or entities providing any form of

transportation services for compensation to a child care agency,

from engaging in any form of driving services involving children in a child care agency until the employee or substitute employee has undergone a drug tests and the results are negative for illegal drug use. The rules shall provide exceptions for emergency transportation requirements in limited circumstances, as deemed appropriate by the department.